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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:	)	Judge Patti B. Saris
<i>United States of America ex rel. Ven-A-Care of</i>	)	
<i>the Florida Keys, Inc., et al. v. Boehringer</i>	)	Magistrate Judge Marianne B. Bowler
<i>Ingelheim Corporation, et al.</i> , Civil Action No.	)	
07-10248-PBS	)	

Defendants Boehringer Ingelheim Corporation (BIC) and Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (BIPI) respectfully move this Court to invoke Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 42(b) and bifurcate the corporate veil-piercing claims against them from the underlying False Claims Act claims against them and Roxane Laboratories, Inc. Bifurcation of the issues will not only eliminate a serious risk of juror confusion and prejudice to BIC and BIPI, but will also promote judicial economy and efficiency. The grounds for this Motion are set forth in Boehringer Ingelheim Corporation and Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc.'s Memorandum in Support of Their Motion to Bifurcate the Corporate Veil-Piercing Issues for Trial.

WHEREFORE, Boehringer Ingelheim Corporation and Boehringer Ingelheim Pharmaceuticals, Inc. respectfully request that the Motion to Bifurcate the Corporate Veil-Piercing Issues for Trial be GRANTED.

Dated: March 1, 2010

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